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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:		#
Anthony ORMEROD et al.	Group Art Unit: 1616	CHC
Application No.: 09/530,375)	Examiner: K. George	TECH CENTER 1600/2900
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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In reply to the Office Action dated August 5, 2003, the period for reply having been extended two months by the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time,

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in light of the following amendment and remarks.

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